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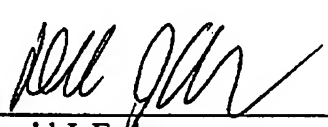
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ELECTION & PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on October 19, please amend the above identified patent application as follows:

Applicant elects without traverse to prosecute Species III. Fig. 5 describes Species III and claims 14 - 18 are readable on Species III.